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A NEW RACE OF *HYOSCIURUS*

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Hyosciurus heinrichi ileile, new subspecies

TYPE.—No. 101308, Amer. Mus. Nat. Hist.; ad. ♀; Ile-ile, North Celebes, 1700 meters; Nov. 12, 1930; collector G. Heinrich (field No. 130; Buitensorg Mus. No. 2763). Skin and skull in good condition.

GENERAL CHARACTERS.—Differing from *H. heinrichi* in its ventral markings which are pale yellowish white instead of white and rather smoothly margined instead of highly irregular in outline.

Skull with shorter rostrum than in *H. heinrichi*,[1] and with p^4 a mere spicule; m^1 definitely smaller than m^1 of *H. heinrichi*. Pterygoid fossa definitely narrower than in *heinrichi*.

The form is based upon the type and a female paratype (Buitensorg 2762, Heinrich 128).

MEASUREMENTS.—See table (*loc. cit.*, p. 6).

That this race was not earlier distinguished is due to the fact that A.M. No. 101311 (Buitensorg Mus. No. 2596) was believed to come from Ile-ile, thus creating the impression of a single variable species rather than of two well-marked forms. With correction of the above point, it will be seen that the molar teeth figured (*loc. cit.*, p. 3, Figs. 5 and 6) are those, respectively, of *H. h. ileile* and *H. h. heinrichi*. The discovery of the distinctness of these races is fully in keeping with the differences to be noted between representatives of many other genera occurring in Celebes.

[1] See Archbold and Tate, 1935, Amer. Mus. Novitates, No. 801, p. 6.